(e) A scheme called Grameen Bhandaran Yojana for construction, renovation and expansion of storage capacity is under implementation by the Government for increasing storage capacity for the foodgrains produced in the country.

Oilseeds production

1118. DR. DASARI NARAYANA RAO: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) what has been the production of oilseeds in Andhra Pradesh and other Southern States during the last two years, year-wise, State-wise and variety-wise;

(b) how it compares with oilseeds production of other regions of the country; and

(c) what incentives Government have extended to the farmers of Southern States for increasing oilseeds production?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ACRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV): (a) and (b) State-wise, year-wise and variety-wise production of oilseeds in the country including Andhra Pradesh and other Southern States during 2001-02 and 2002-03 is given in the Statement enclosed (*See* below).

(c) In order to increase the production of oilseeds in the country, a Centrally Sponsored Oilseeds Production Programme (OPP) is in implementation in 28 States including Southern States. Under this scheme financial assistance is being provided for various inputs like production and distribution of seeds, distribution of seed minikits, distribution of improved farm implements, sprinkler sets, rhyzobium culture, micro nutrients etc. in order to motivate the farmers to take up cultivation of oilseeds. Further, in order to transfer the improved production and Plant Protection technologies to the farmers field, frontline demonstrations by ICAR and block demonstrations by the States are also organised.

Statement

State-wise, year-wise and variety-wise production of Oilseeds in the country during 2001-02 and 2002-03

(in 000 tonnes)

State	Groundnut		Soyabean		Sunflower		Sesamum		Niger		Castor		Rapeseed Mustard		Safflower		Linseed		Total	
	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*
Andhra Pradesh	1249.0	924.0	19.7	42.0	219.0	239.0	27.0	17.0	8.0	7.0	83.0	85.0	1.0	—	6.0	5.0	0.70	—	1613.4	1319.0
Assam	—	18.0	—	7.00	—	1	8.1	8.0	4.6	5.0	0.7	1.0	137.1	124.0	—	—	5.1	5.0	155.6	180.0
Bihar	0.2	3.0	—	—	16.1	18.0	2.0	4.0	—	—	0.1	3.0	78.2	132.0	0.4	—	28.8	59.0	125.8	219.0
Chhattisgarh	32.5	38.0	11.9	9.0	0.5	6.0	5.9	7.0	14.6	12.0	—	—	22.1	19.0	0.3	—	27.0	16.0	114.8	107.0
Gujarat	2714.9	1064.0	5.1	10.0	—	—	226.6	123.0	—	—	465.0	263.0	292.1	152.0	—	—	—	—	3703.7	1612.0
Haryana	0.4	2.0	—	—	8.8	15.0	1.7	4.0	—	—	—	—	796.0	731.0	—	—	—	—	806.9	752.0
Himachal Pradesh	0.4	—	1.0	—	—	—	1.9	1.0	—	—	—	—	6.1	4.0	—	—	0.7	1.0	10.1	6.0
Jammu and Kashmir	—	—	—	—	—	—	2.6	1.0	—	—	—	—	38.9	95.0	—	—	0.3	—	41.8	96.0
Jharkhand	—	21.0	—	—	—	—	7.4	6.0	—	12.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	4.0	4.0	28.0	43.0
Karnataka	600.0	496.0	42.0	25.0	283.0	302.0	30.0	7.0	16.6	4.0	14.0	10.0	1.9	1.0	79.0	60.0	7.0	6.0	1064.1	911.0
Kerala	2.4	5.0	—	—	—	—	0.8	1.0	7.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.2	6.0

State	Groundnut		Soyabean		Sunflower		Sesamum		Niger		Castor		Rapeseed Mustard		Safflower		Linseed		Total	
	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*	2001-02	2002-03*
Madhya Pradesh	260.1	121.0	3623.7	2576.0	1.5	1.0	40.8	23.0	26.0	19.0	0.9	1.0	415.9	210.0	0.1	1.0	73.6	45.0	4442.6	2997.0
Maharashtra	492.0	676.0	1395.5	1576.0	130.7	175.0	38.0	35.0	14.0	14.0	3.1	7.0	3.1	2.0	139.0	95.0	20.5	13.0	2225.9	2593.0
Orissa	61.0	78.0	Neg.	—	6.9	3.0	11.4	1.0	40.4	40.0	9.1	7.0	2.2	14.0	1.2	1.0	10.1	6.0	142.3	150.0
Punjab	4.0	4.0	—	—	23.0	38.0	7.8	6.0	—	—	—	—	60.0	99.0	—	—	0.3	1.0	95.1	148.0
Rajasthan	296.0	166.0	715.9	236.0	—	—	103.3	11.0	—	—	88.1	40.0	1942.7	1001.0	—	—	3.1	3.0	3127.1	1457.0
Tamil Nadu	1332.2	1309.0	—	—	15.6	13.0	74.8	49.0	—	—	10.8	7.0	0.2	—	—	—	—	—	1433.6	1378.0
U.P.	97.7	48.0	8.2	1.0	16.8	—	40.4	19.0	—	—	—	—	845.4	900.0	—	—	39.4	30.0	1046.9	998.0
Uttaranchal	1.0	1.0	8.7	13.0	—	—	0.4	1.0	—	—	—	—	7.6	8.0	—	—	—	—	17.7	23.0
West Bengal	55.7	120.0	0.3	1.0	1.7	—	90.8	83.0	3.2	—	0.1	—	336.9	450.0	—	—	4.7	10.0	493.4	664.0
Others	6.8	18.0	34.7	27.0	2.0	1.0	8.5	9.0	0.1	—	—	—	53.0	28.0	—	1.0	5.0	4.0	109.9	88.0
All India	7206.1	5112.0	5826.7	4523.0	725.6	823.0	730.2	416.0	134.7	113.0	652.9	424.0	5040.4	3970.0	226.0	163.0	229.3	203.0	20801.9	15747.0

*Fourth Advance Estimates.